

FISCAL NOTE

SB 403 - HB 517

February 21, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Amends the *Adult-Oriented Establishment Registration Act* as follows:

- Provides that when additional investigation is required into an application for an adult-oriented establishment license or permit, an applicant shall be permitted to operate the business for which a license is sought upon the expiration of 30 days from the filing of the application unless the additional investigation is a result of actions by the applicant.
- Specifies that a court may overturn the decision of a local adult-oriented establishment board to deny a license or permit.
- Removes requirement that half of license or permit application fee be returned to an applicant if application is denied.
- Eliminates the requirement that adult-oriented establishments display a sign outlining the law under which they operate.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

To the extent a county has chosen to create an adult-oriented establishment board under the provisions of current law, it will experience an increase in revenues from the portion of the application fee they will no longer be required to return under the provisions of the bill. This increase is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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